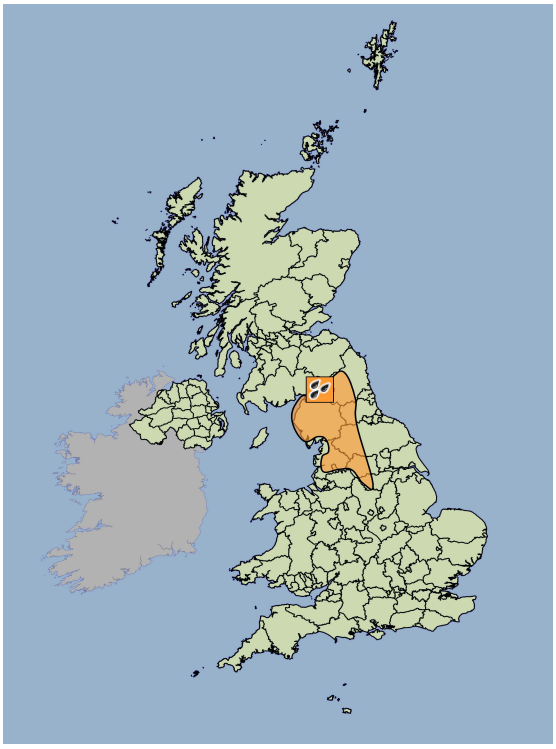
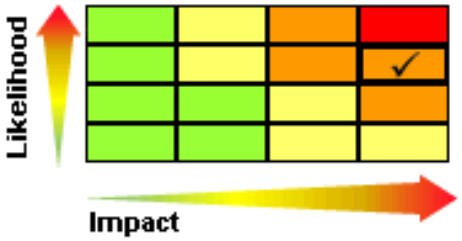
# National Severe Weather Warning Service






**Chief Forecasters Assessment**
A strong, moist westerly to southwesterly flow has set in during Saturday and will last through most of Sunday before clearing during the evening. This flow is expected to bring a period of heavy and persistent rain, with 50-100 mm of rain falling in many areas. However across parts of the west and the southwest of Cumbria, parts of Lancashire and the southwestern Pennines as much as 200 to 250 mm may fall across some of the most exposed high ground. It is here that the highest impacts are expected. This rainfall, falling on to already saturated ground, is likely to lead to further flooding.

There is some uncertainty in the exact locations of heaviest rainfall, as well as peak amounts; this will depend on how far north the frontal system moves and how long it remains aligned across any one area. For this reason, the warning will be kept under review over the weekend.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **18:00 on Sat, 14th Nov 2015** until **22:00 on Sun, 15th Nov 2015**

A frontal system is expected to become slow moving across parts of northern England during Saturday and Sunday. Rain associated with this feature is expected to become heavy and persistent, especially over hills exposed to the strong westerly to southwesterly flow.

Be prepared for flooding to occur, the impacts exacerbated by the fact that we have seen heavy rainfall in recent days and conditions are saturated. The highest impacts are expected across parts of the west and southwest of Cumbria, east Lancashire and the southwestern Pennines.

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This is an update to the warning issued on Friday to include a larger part of Lancashire, the Pennines and also western Northumberland and County Durham where medium impacts are expected.

**For more details please go to:**
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

**Issued by the Met Office at 12:27 on Fri, 13th Nov 2015**

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